

CITY OF O'FALLON, ILLINOIS
RESOLUTION 2010 -

**AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO EXECUTE A DISASTER NETWORK
SUBCONTRACT AGREEMENT WITH AMERICAN MEDICAL RESPONSE (A FEMA
CONTRACTOR) FOR THE PURPOSE OF THE CITY OF O'FALLON PROVIDING
EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES DURING LARGE SCALE DISASTERS**

WHEREAS, American Medical Response, as a contractor for the Federal Emergency Management Agency, seeks to have agreements in place with EMS providers throughout the country so that those services can be called to respond to large scale disasters, and;

WHEREAS, as a result of the agreement, American Medical Response compensates all responding service providers at a rate above and beyond the actual cost to staff and operate an ALS Ambulance, and;

WHEREAS, the City Of O'Fallon provides Advanced Life Support Emergency Medical Services and has the capacity provide a staffed ambulance to respond and provide support as described in the agreement without compromising local service delivery, and;

WHEREAS, O'Fallon EMS has the right to refuse to respond if local conditions are not favorable, and;

WHEREAS, members of O'Fallon EMS will be able to gain valuable insights into disaster response that could easily translate to situations occurring in their service area, and;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF
THE CITY OF O'FALLON, ST. CLAIR COUNTY, ILLINOIS AS FOLLOWS:**

That the City of O'Fallon authorizes the Mayor to enter into an agreement with American Medical Response for the provision of EMS services in response to large scale disasters.

Passed and approved this 19th Day of April 2010.

ATTEST:

Approved:

Philip A. Goodwin, City Clerk

Gary L. Graham, Mayor